



# STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
DIVISION OF STATE POLICE  
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## STATE POLICE SCHEDULE

### DUI SPOT CHECKS ACROSS CONNECTICUT

As the Christmas Holidays approach, the Connecticut State Police will work closely with many Local Police Departments to enhance the safety of our roads and highways in Connecticut. State Trooper and Local Police Officers will work together all across the State.

These scheduled checkpoints are designed to save lives and keep all of our roads and highways safe. Public Safety Commissioner Leonard Boyle said, "Any amount of alcohol can never be combined with driving a vehicle. During this holiday season, if you attend a festive event, be sure to make plans in advance for a sober non-drinking driver to bring you home safely. Please help us to keep everyone safe".

Attached is a list of the scheduled sobriety checkpoints. The State Police will add additional patrols through the holiday season to target areas where State Police experience a high number of DUI arrests.

#### WESTERN DISTRICT--

12/02/05 Rt. 72 & Rt.229, Bristol  
12/09/05 I-84 east exit #18 Waterbury  
12/16/05 Rt. 202 & Rt. 219 New Hartford  
12/17/05 Roving Patrols  
12/31/05 Roving Patrols

#### CENTRAL DISTRICT

12/02/05 Rt. 66 Middlefield  
12/02/05 Rt. 9 & Rt. 17 Middletown  
12/09/05 Rt. 8 Exit #29 Naugatuck  
12/10/05 Rt. 40 connector Rt. 10 interchange Hamden  
12/16/05 I-84 w/b Exit #48 Asylum Ave Hartford

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EASTERN DISTRICT

12/03/05 Rt.164 & Rt. 138 Griswold

12/10/05 Rt. 12 & Maple St. Killingly

12/16/05 Rt. 16 Colchester

12/31/05 Rt. 32 & Rt. 190 Stafford CT.

Connecticut State Police want to remind all motorists that if you spot a suspected drunk driver, that is a true emergency, please call 911.

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